

# CESAR E. CHAVEZ SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

*You can not un-educate the person who has learned to read...-Cesar E. Chavez*

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_  
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## INSTRUCTIONS

Application Deadline: **Postmarked on or before March 15, 2013**

- Application Eligibility
- Completed application form
- Copy of High School or College transcript
- Acceptance to an Accredited Community College or University
- Graduate (Master Degree and above) students are not eligible
- Awards must be used for the next school year

### Award Criteria

- Awards will be based on financial need, academic achievement and potential, character, leadership, service to society, and career goals.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.7 or higher is recommended
- Applications will be judged by an impartial committee of Scholarship Committee Members
- Scholarship Award will be forwarded directly to the selected institution you have chosen.

*It is your responsibility to notify the Scholarship Committee of the selected college you will be attending and failure to do so will delay the scholarship award.*

Application Form has 5 parts:

- I. Student & Family Profile-to be completed by you
- II. Personal Essay-to be completed by you
- III. Letter of Recommendation-to be completed by e.g. Teacher, Mentor, Coach, Employer
- IV. Certificate of Secondary School-to be completed by you High School Principal, Dean or Guidance Counselor
- V. (Note: This applies only to students who have graduated from High School in the 2012/2013 academic year)
- VI. Financial Need Summary-Please submit completed: U.S. Individual Income Tax Return for 2011-2012
- VII. PRINT LEGIBLY or TYPE**

## I. STUDENT AND FAMILY PROFILE

### Student Profile

Social Security Number or State I.D. (note: State I.D. Applies only to undocumented students) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address (if different) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Current High School \_\_\_\_\_ City/State \_\_\_\_\_

Current College or University \_\_\_\_\_ City/State \_\_\_\_\_

Counselor or Advisor's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

College or University High School Applicant Desires to Attend First Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Second Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Third Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

### Education

List below the last high schools, colleges and universities you attended.

*Note: High school seniors must submit an official transcript upon graduation.*

School	City	State	Dates of attendance
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

### High School Education

Class ranking \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_ GPA (on a 100 Point Scale) \_\_\_\_\_ Based on this information we can determine hours/Dean's list etc.

TAKS Scores: English Language Arts: \_\_\_\_\_ Math: \_\_\_\_\_ Science: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Studies: \_\_\_\_\_

Writing Sub score: \_\_\_\_\_

School Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_ School Counselor's Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

### ACADEMIC HONORS AND ACTIVITIES RESUME

Mention, for example, club participation, church involvement, volunteer work, etc. Indicate the school years (9th through 12th) during which you were involved.

Activity/Honor/Position	Year Participated, Held or Received				
	9th	10th	11th	12th	Other
1. _____					
2. _____					
3. _____					
4. _____					
5. _____					
6. _____					
7. _____					

Alternative Contact (REQUIRED) Complete information below for a person not living at your current mailing address.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

### PERSONAL ESSAY

Please write an essay between 300-500 words that describes why you think you are deserving of the "Cesar E. Chavez Scholarship Award". Kindly type your essay on a separate piece of paper. Also, please double space.

### LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION (e.g. Teacher, Mentor, Coach, Employer, Overall G.P.A.)

You should include any relevant comments on the applicant's academic achievement and potential, leadership, service to society, career goals, and/or financial need.

Kindly include the letter on a separate piece of paper and be certain to include your name as author, relationship to applicant, and signature.

The letter must be placed in a sealed envelope with your signature on the application.

**Please give back the sealed envelope to the applicant to turn in with application.**

### General Cesar E. Chavez Requirements

Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Undergraduate letter of Acceptance, provide to CEO Jaime P. Martinez or Mr. Ernest J. Martinez Chairman of the Scholarship Fund, at the Cesar E. Chavez Legacy and Educational Foundation Center.

Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_ 2. A current High School transcript with the official seal.

Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Personal Essay

Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Letter(s) of Recommendation

Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Test score from High School SAT/ACT etc.

Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Financial need Summary (2011 Income Tax Return)

**Applicant signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: Your application is not complete until all items have been submitted.*

**Please mail completed application and required attachments to:**

Mr. Jaime P. Martinez CEO/President

Cesar E. Chavez Legacy and Educational Foundation

P.O. Box 830402

San Antonio, Texas 78283

*Visit our website for more information: [www.cesarlegacy.org](http://www.cesarlegacy.org)*